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In re Application of:  
 Syuichi OKA  
 Serial No. 10/522,678  
 IA Filing Date: October 28, 2004  
 For: HYPOTENSIVE AGENT AND METHOD FOR ...

) Application Division  
 ) ATTN: PCT  
 ) Washington, D.C.  
 ) Confirmation No. 1794  
 ) Date: January 19, 2006

LATE SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION AND/OR TRANSLATION IN APPLICATION FILED UNDER 35 USC 371

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The present communication is in response to the "NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC 371..." dated November 21, 2005. Attached hereto is/are:

- [XX] An executed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63, identifying the present application by title and priority information.  
 [ ] An exact English language translation of the PCT application as originally filed.  
 [ ] Exact English language translation of the Annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report containing substitute pages \_\_\_\_ of the specification and new claims \_\_\_\_ to be used for examination.  
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[XX] The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of Time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR 1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR 1.18.

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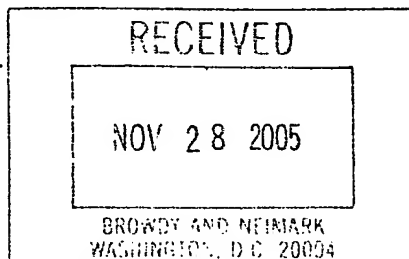


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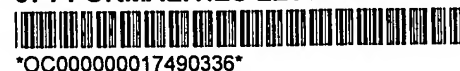
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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/31/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 04/25/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/31/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 01/31/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/31/2005

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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